THE DEMOCRAT FOR 1879.

The generous patronage the New Orleans DEMOCRAT has received from the people of the Southwest, and especially from those of Louisiana, encourages its proprietors to renewed efforts to make it more than ever the

LEADING NEWSPAPER OF THE SOUTH.

The New Orleans DEMOCRAT is the only paper in the South which receives the telegraphic dispatches of the

NATIONAL ASSOCIATED PRESS,

now conceded to be far superior, both as to the quantity and importance of the news, to the New York Associated Press, upon which nearly every paper, "little or big," in this section depends for its telegraphic news. Thus the people of New Orleans, and indeed of the South are supplied through the DEMOCRAT with intelligence which they can obtain in no other paper. This feature of the DEMOCRAT alone commends it to popular favor in every direction.

The DEMOCRAT now prints more reading matter than any other journal in New Orleans, or, indeed, in the South. Nevertheless, after the first of January the quantity will be

GREATLY INCREASED,

and it is our determination to rival the great journals of the West in the variety and quantity of matter each morning furnished our readers.

OUR COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT,

under the control of Col. Wm. Seymour, so well known by the public of this city, will be extended and made so complete that it will meet every need and wish of the business community.

While the DEMOCRAT has been the recognized organ of the Democratic party, it has been the only really independent newspaper printed in New Orleans for years. It has supported and defended with all its earnestness and ability the principles of Democracy; but it has never hesitated to attack abuses in the party, and by this latter course it has arrayed against it every ring politician in the State.

Looking solely to the masses of the Democracy for approbation, it has attacked every ring and monopoly in this city; and though its simple silence could have commanded large sums of money in the way of business transactions from the monopolies, it has attacked them with all its capacity, and without an exception arrayed them all against it.

The past course of the DEMOCRAT is a guarantee of its future policy. It will stand by the people and by the great principles of the Democratic party. It has no interest in individual leaders and politicians. It is allied with none of these. It is simply for the Democratic party and the reform of abuses in or out of the Democratic party.

And now, notwithstanding the tremendous power of rings and monopolies, sustained by millions of capital which the DEMOCRAT has fought and which have moved heaven and earth to crush it, we point with pride to the endorsement it has received from the people of this State, indicated by the growth of its subscription from a few hundred to over five thousand daily in the State, swelling on Sundays to nine thousand, and not unfrequently to twelve thousand.

The DEMOCRAT for 1879 will be the most newsy and attractive journal in the South, and we solicit the people of this and our neighboring States to continue and extend the favor and patronage they have already awarded it.

The epidemic having caused pecuniary distress, Dr. F. H. Knapp & Son, dentists, 13 Baronne street, have greatly reduced their prices

BANK STATEMENTS.

STATEMENT OF THE CONDITION
—OF THE—
STATE NATIONAL BANK,
AT NEW ORLEANS,

At the close of business, December 31, 1878.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,306,774 91
United States bonds		50,000 00
Other bonds and securities		10,161 50
Other assets, special account		147,179 85
Real estate		70,000 00
Five per cent redemption fund		2,250 00
Domestic and foreign exchange	364,328 97	
Currency	398,647 91	
Specie	14,643 81	
Checks on other banks	368,777 03	
		1,146,397 72
Total		$2,732,763 98

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock		$425,000 00
Surplus fund		85,000 00
Other undivided profits, subject to dividend of 5 per cent		161,601 62
Circulation		45,000 00
Dividends unpaid		11,337 88
Due to depositors	$1,745,496 70	
Due to distant banks and bankers	137,272 61	
Due to State of Louisiana as Fiscal Agent	122,055 17	
		2,004,824 48
Total		$2,732,763 98

SAM'L H. KENNEDY, President.
L. A. WILTZ, Vice President.
ja1 5t CHAS. L. C. DUPUY, Cashier.

Levy Bros.

Will offer during the ensuing week, to their numerous patrons, a magnificent stock of

FRESH GOODS

the following lines:
QUILTS.
MEMORIAL LIGHTS.
BLANKETS.
CASSIMERES,
RIBBONS, COMBS, etc.
Large line of SILK HANDKERCHIEFS—White, Black and Colored.
Full line of NEW HOSIERY.
All the above goods are perfectly fresh, are in the latest styles, and will be sold at

Prices to Defy Competition.

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587 MAGAZINE ST.—585 and 587 Commer St. Andrew. ja06 3ms5p

NOTICE TO DELINQUENTS.

OFFICE STATE TAX COLLECTOR, FIRST DISTRICT.
No. 47 Carondelet street,
New Orleans, January 4, 1879.

Under instructions suits, with application for injunction, have been prepared and will be filed by the Assistant Attorney General JANUARY 7, against the following named persons owing State license, or tax on personal property and license.

Please call and pay before JANUARY 7, and save costs of suit and penalties.

E. A. BURKE,
Tax Collector First District.

A
Aroni, Julius
Alemo, A.
Allen, E. K.

B
Bual, Mrs. P.
Bartell, David
Borowsky, H.
Brockett & Carter.
Bastian, M.
Bothick, T. W.
Blancke, Dr. C.
Bohne, Wm.
Broda, Thomas
Barris, D.
Bohne, A. A.
Brown, H.
Basecc, Joseph
Brooks, W. J.

C.
Carlos, C.
Coons & Co., T. S.
Coutoulon, P.
Cohen, S.
Charles, Richard.
Cotton & Levy.
Curly, J. M.
Cohen, Simon.
Clark, J. J.
Cautanzaro, J.
Carney, John.
Corbin, R. A.
Comes, C. A.

D.
Duffy, James.
Dillon, Mrs. M.
Despaux, J.
Donovan, John C.
Drewes, J.
Daste, Jean.
Du Souchet, P. S.

E
Eflin, Ed.
Egan, Mrs. P.

F
Fernandez, Mrs. R.
Flynn, B.
Fitzgerald, P.
Fehrenbach, M.
Farrell, Mrs. J.
Fleming, John G.

G.
Gill, S. G.
Gomez, S.
Gilheart, John
Gillon, P.
Goslinski, G.
Gregard & Farrar.
Grand, L.
Gresham, Jas. A.
Geng, J.

H.
Haley, C. C.
Heine, V.
Hoffman, Mrs. P.
Harp, R. J.
Hoeizel, Philip.
Hass, A. M.
Herwig, Mrs. E. F.
Heideman, A.
Hartleb, F. G.
Housat, H.
Hartright, H.

I.
Ingraham, Thomas.

J.
Johnson, W. A. & Co.
Jordy, Mrs. A.
Jones & Roche.
Jorda, Thomas.
Jackson, R.

K.
King, W. W.
Kelly, W. J.
Kearns, G. W.
Keller, William.

L.
Latimer, J. M.
Loeber, Dr. F.
Long, D.
Laredo, J. B.
Long, R.
Lawrence, Thomas
Lafon, J.
Lambert, W. J.
Lopez, John

M.
Marx, A.
Mollnie, E.
Myers, John & Son
Montagnet, H. J.
Moore, Mrs. Margaret
Mahue, E.
Mimitry, F.
Moran, N. A.
Michel, Henry
Markey, John F.
Mathes, J. Jr.
Miche, L.
Moore, S. E. & Co.
Mengelle, F.
Mullen, John
Mohr, N.
Mohan, James
Markey, Thos.

MAC.
McDavitt, T. P.
McDermott, Thos.
McDermott, B.
McLain, A. F.
McGovern, John.

New Orleans Sanitary Excavating Co.

O.
Olympe, Boisse, Mme.
Owens, Thos.
O'Brien, John A.
O'Hara, James.
O'Neil, Mrs. J.

P.
Pou, Emile
Pratt, Jno.
Perry, Henry
Phillips, E.
Powers, J. M.
Porche, L. R.
Poche, Mrs. Joseph
Parker, C. A. & Co.
Power, John

Q.
Quadras, F.

R.
Rache, H.
Roman & Cucullu.
Roberts, F.
Roker, J.
Reinhart, John.
Rush, John.
Riordan, C.
Reinhart, J.
Rogers, W. N.
Renaudin, F.
Regan, James.
Robinson, H. M.

S.
Solari, J.
Schwartz, B.
Schrouder, John
Schneider, C.
Soares, H. W.
Smith, James
Sandak, S.
Simon, Mrs. C.
Schaefer, H.
Shelley, M. & Co.
Summers, A. M.
Stone, Dr. W.
Stueber, O.
Stewart, A.
Sauve, Paul
Stewart, J. C.
Stahl, Mrs. M.

T.
Turnell, J. A.
Theodore, N.
Tank, B
Taney, C. H.
Throunk, P.
Trautman, James

U.
Ulrich, Mrs. J.

V.
Veazie, H. A.
Valeton, A.

W.
Weckerling, J. J.
Workingmen's Bank.
Wallace, D. H.
Walker, J. B.
Ward, T. J.
Watson, R.
Wilson, D.
Weber, T. S.
Wolfson, Mrs. M.

Z.
Zar, Michael.

Auze, T.
Andrews, M. G.

B
Barnett, H. P.
Busby, Mrs. Julia
Britton & Eppler.
Byrnes Bros.
Burns, Julia
Belden, Dr. J. G.
Borges, John
Bastian, John
Byrne, James
Bertuchi, Joseph
Brinnol, P.
Behan, F. A.
Beyer, Ernest & Co.
Brady, Thomas

C.
Choppin, O.
Clay, H.
Choppin, A. L.
Cohen, D.
Cushing, W. L.
Cottrade, Charles.
Case, F. F.
Coleman, T. J.
Castro, Joe.
Coyle, Mrs. M.
Chandler & Ashby.
Courinot, A. C.
Campbell, Mrs. C.

D.
Dutzer, N.
Detrich, M.
DuBarry, J.
Davis, W.
Doories, A.
Dousson, J.
Despo, B.

E.
Exterstien, H.
Estelle, P.

F.
Fuel, J.
Fahrman, E.
Fernandez, Joseph
Fowler, John D.
Fie'd, Spencer, Jr.
Frederick, A. S., Dr.

G.
Gautier, Mrs. J. G.
Greco, S.
Gast, F.
Garro, T. L.
Guma, J.
Gonzales Bros.
Gauthier, F.
Graff, H.
Geddes, Geo.

H.
Hill, Alex.
Hess, P.
Huffi, F.
Hession, John.
Holcombe, Dr. W. H.
Hermann, Max.
Hecker, Fred.
Herriott George.
Holt, Dr. Joseph.
Hart, M.
Herron, James.

I.

J.
Johnson, P.
Johnson, T. S.
Jordan, R.
Johnson, S. C.

K.
Kenedy, M.
King, P.
King, M. G.
Kroom, P.

L.
Lestelle, L.
Lopez, D.
Lyons, Dr. J. J.
Lotz, Gaspar
Long, John
Levy, Jacob & Co.
Lazarus, John
Lubie, E.
Leonard, A.

M
Morelea Alex.
Marcil, S. G.
Mendez, A.
Magee, J. N.
Maggiollo, C.
Malone, James
Moore, John L.
Marx, Samuel
Maiches, John
Morgan, D. C.
Martin, Alphonse
Marx, A.
Madden, J. W.
Mogel, R.
Martin, P.
Martinez, T.
Meeker, Knox & Co.
Michell, Henry

MAC.
McEvoy, B.
McGuire, P. S.
McAdams, M. J.
McCloskey, H.
McShea, Miss Rosa.

N.
Nugent, J. R.

O.
O'Keiffe, R.
Owens, Daniel.
O'Neil, John.
O'Sullivan, C. B.

P.
Pierce, O. A.
Prieta, A.
Petrie, Jno.
Phelps, A. G.
Potthorst, G.
Pluche & Terry.
Paulsen, H. C.
Phillips, J. N.
Price, H. H.

Q.

R.
Rub, Mrs. M.
Rollins, Chas.
Reynolds, T.
Ringrose, W. B.
Ryan, Pat.
Riehm, L.
Radelet, P.
Ramelli, D. S.
Reynes, E. H.
Rivers, R. E. & Co.
Rainey, Mrs. M.

S.
Sheehan & Henderson
Shawhan, J. N.
Schrieber, A.
Soria, O. M.
Seyer, Mrs. A.
Speiring, H.
Seiler, C.
Saulney, James
Steppesich, D.
Stickney, J. C.
Spearing, W. K.
Schmitt, John
Stockinger, G. M.
Soares, C. B.
Schneckenberger, J.
Schwarm, M. J.

T.
Tupper, T.
Theo, P.
Turner, James
Taft, C.
Thompson, M. F.

U.
Ulmer John

V.
Vogis, Wm.

W.
Wagner, Wm.
Wood, R. H.
Whitlow, A.
White, J. W.
Webster, D.
Wagner, P.
Woods, Mrs. L. E.
Wayne & Williams.

Z.
Zerega & Co.

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SPECIAL NOTICES.

Notice.—New Orleans, January 4, 1879—All proprietors of private markets, both inside and outside of six blocks of the public markets, are requested to meet at No. 333 Bienville, near Claiborne street, at 4 o'clock in the evening, on Sunday, the fifth of January, 1879. Important business, and prompt and general attendance requested.
ja4 1t* JEAN BERGERON.

Sociedad Union Espanola de Beneficiencia *Mutua—Asamblea General Anual, y eleccion de medicos—Los oficiales y miembros de esta asociacion se reuniran en su local de costumbre, el DOMINGO proximo, 5 del corriente, a las 4½ de la tarde, para el despacho de asuntos generales y eleccion de Facultativos.*
Por orden del Señor Presidente:
F. de P. VILLASANA, Secretario.
Nueva Orleans, Enero 3, 1879. ja3 3t

Notice—Neither the captain, owners nor the undersigned agents of the British steamship CHANCELLOR, Capt. Valiant, from Philadelphia, will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of said vessel.
ja3 3t DECAN & CO.

Office of Carondelet Canal and Navigation Company, Corner Villere and Toulouse streets, Old Basin, New Orleans, December 28, 1878—The annual election for directors of this company, to serve during the ensuing year, will be held at its office, corner Toulouse and Villere, on MONDAY, January 20, 1879, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 2 p. m.
de29 td P. TISNE, Jr., Secretary.

Office of Jefferson and Lake Pontchartrain Railroad Company—New Orleans, December 21, 1878—The annual election for directors of this company will take place, according to law, on MONDAY, January 6, 1879, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 2 p. m., at the office, No. 17 Baronne street.
d23td WALTER V. CROUCH, Secretary.

Office of New Orleans and Carrollton Railroad Company, New Orleans, December 5, 1878.—The annual election of Directors of this company will take place according to law on MONDAY, January 6, 1879, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., at the office, No. 17 Baronne street.
WALTER V. CROUCH,
de6 1m Secretary.

The Woman's Christian Union will meet every SATURDAY, at 7 p. m., at the Carondelet Street Methodist Church.
MRS. J. J. LYONS, President.
MRS. H. J. COOP, Secretary. de5 tf

Special Notice to Shippers of Texas freights—From this date through bills lading at regular tariff rates will be given to all points reached by the Texas Pacific Railroad and connections. M. W. JOYCE, Agent,
no28 tf 111 Gravier street.

Special Notice—Office St. Bernard Coal Company, New Orleans, September 16, 1878—Until further notice we will sell COAL at the following rates, for cash: St. Bernard coal at 45 cents per barrel; Pittsburg coal at 50 cents per barrel. Delivered free of charge within city limits.
se17 tf W. S. CAMPBELL, Agent.

FOR RENT.

TO RENT—THE SECOND FLOOR OF NO. 5 Chartres street, one door from Canal street, at a low rent to a desirable tenant. ja4 tf

TO RENT—A NICELY FURNISHED PARlor and bed room, with the use of a new piano; also a few front bed rooms on the second and third floors will be rented at a moderate price, with or without board. Apply at 240 Camp street. de5 1m

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—A CORN MILL IN GOOD ORder. Address VICTOR LAUMAN, corner of Freret and Newton streets, Algiers. ja4 1m*

FOR SALE—I WILL SELL FOR CASH TO any person making a favorable offer TWO NOTES and LETTERS OF CREDIT; one note for two thousand dollars ($2000), and the other for fifty dollars and sixty-seven cents ($50 67), all executed and signed by J. H. Acklen, member of Congress from Louisiana.
REMEMBER ALL THIS IS AT 8 PER CENT FROM MAY 18, 1877.
J. S. SAUNDERS, General Collector.
ja4 10t Office and residence, 1194 Magazine.

FOR SALE—THE ONE-STORY FRAME Building corner Franklin and St. Andrew streets, in square bounded by Franklin, St. Andrew, White and Josephine streets, a most excellent stand for a retail grocery business. And the one-story frame house No. 257 St. Louis street, between Robertson and Villere streets. Will be sold on very advantageous terms. Apply to F. J. LECHE, No. 56 St. Charles street.
ja3 3t*

FOR SALE—STEAM ENGINES AND BOILers, both new and second-hand. Draining Wheels, Pumps, etc., Saw-Mills, Cotton Trucks, Crab Wenches, Jackscrews, Grate Bars, Furnace Mouths, Wrought Iron Works, Brass and Iron Castings of every description. Also, one second-hand Steam Fire Engine and one small Propeller at CLARK'S FOUNDRY,
Corner Race and Tchoupitoulas streets.
au 25tf

155 Canal st. D. H. HOLMES, 15 Bourbon st.

Now offers to the public an excellent and large assortment of

DRY GOODS
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GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

A Specialty in Blankets,
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Dress Goods and Cloaks,
VERY CHEAP AND IN ENDLESS VARIETIES.
OUR MADAPOLAM 4-4 WHITE COTTON
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D. H. HOLMES,
de15 tf 155 Canal street.

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— AND —
HOLIDAY GOODS
AT AUCTION,
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The public are invited to call and examine this immense stock, consisting of Standard Works, Poets, Novelists, Historians, Family Bibles, Prayer Books, Games, Toy Books, Puzzles, and every variety of goods kept in a first-class book establishment.

This stock will be closed out immediately, as only a temporary lease has been effected on the premises (147 Canal street).

Those who desire making presents these distressing times, and save money, will have an opportunity of doing so.

The store will be open from 7:30 a. m.

The sales at auction will commence at 7 p. m., nightly, Sundays excepted.

Sales commence MONDAY EVENING, December 16, 1878.
MONTGOMERY & CO.,
de15 1m Auctioneers.

BANK NOTICES.

Citizens' Bank of Louisiana, New Orleans, January 2, 1879—The annual election of directors for this bank will be held at the banking-house on MONDAY, the third of February, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.
ja2 30aw 1m JAS. J. TARLETON, Cashier.

Mutual National Bank, New Orleans, December 31, 1878—At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the twenty-seventh instant, it was resolved to declare a dividend of 4 per cent to the stockholders from the profits of the last six months, payable on demand.
ja1 30t JOSEPH MITCHEL, Cashier.

State National Bank of New Orleans, New Orleans, December 31, 1878—At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held thirty-first instant, a semi-annual dividend of 5 per cent was declared, payable to the stockholders on and after MONDAY, the sixth day of January, 1879. The transfer book will remain open, but transfers will be "ex dividend."
ja1 1w CHAS. L. C. DUPUY, Cashier.

Hibernia National Bank, New Orleans, Dec. 31, 1878—A dividend of FOUR PER CENT will be paid on demand. By order of the Board.
ja1 1w JNO. G. DEVEREUX, Cashier.

The People's Bank of New Orleans, New Orleans, December 31, 1878—A semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent on the capital stock will be paid to the stockholders of this bank on and after THURSDAY, January 9, 1879.
ja1 4t N. LANDRY, Cashier.

Union National Bank, New Orleans, December 28, 1878—At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the twenty-seventh instant, a semi-annual dividend of FIVE PER CENT was declared, payable to the stockholders on and after January 2, proximo.
de29 10t S. CHALARON, Cashier.

New Orleans Canal and Banking Company, New Orleans, December 23, 1878—At a special meeting of the Board of Directors, held this day, a semi-annual dividend of THREE PER CENT was declared, payable on demand.
de24 15t CH. JUMONVILLE, Cashier.

Mechanics and Traders' Bank, New Orleans, December 21, 1878—The annual election for Directors of this Bank, to serve during the ensuing year, will take place at the banking-house, No. 28 Carondelet street, on MONDAY, the twentieth of January next, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.
de21 1m JOHN H. LUDWIGSEN, Cashier.

State National Bank of New Orleans, New Orleans, December 12, 1878—The annual election of directors to serve the ensuing year will be held at this bank on the third TUESDAY of January, twenty-first proximo, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 2 o'clock p. m.
de18 td CHAS. L. C. DUPUY, Cashier.

Mutual National Bank, New Orleans, December 14, 1878—The election for Directors, to serve the ensuing year, will take place at the banking-house, 106 Canal street, on TUESDAY, January 14, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m. JOSEPH MITCHELL,
de15 td Cashier.

Hibernia National Bank, New Orleans, December 12, 1878—The annual election of directors of this bank will be held at its banking-house TUESDAY, January 14, 1879, between 10 o'clock a. m. and 2 o'clock p. m.
JNO. G. DEVEREUX,
de13 td Cashier.

New Orleans National Bank—New Orleans, December 14, 1878—The annual election for Directors of this Bank will be held at the banking-house on TUESDAY, January 14, 1879, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m.
de14 td WM. PALFREY, Cashier.

Citizens' Savings Bank,
(A bank for small savings.)
Corner Baronne and Gravier streets.
Six per cent interest paid on deposits.
ADVANCES MADE ON COLLATERALS.
oc27 6m

COPARTNERSHIPS.

57 GRAVIER STREET,
New Orleans, January 1, 1879.

WE HAVE THIS DAY FORMED A COpartnership to be known as J. J. IRBY'S SONS, for the purpose of continuing the tobacco and commission business heretofore conducted by our deceased father and brother, as J. J. Irby & Son. We trust that the friends of the late firm will continue to us the patronage heretofore so liberally given them. We shall exert ourselves in every way to further all interests committed to us. We are in direct connection with a large number of the leading manufacturers of the tobacco-growing regions and are prepared to sell all styles of goods either from our stock or directly from the factory at the lowest figures.
J. R. McD. IRBY,
ja2 1w W. RATCLIFFE IRBY.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HAVE THIS day entered into a copartnership under the firm name of SCANNELL & LAFAYE, for the purpose of doing a sugar and cotton factorage and general commission business, at the corner of Gravier and Tchoupitoulas streets (over W. G. Lyon & Co.'s). JOHN O. SCANNELL,
JOHN A. LAFAYE.
New Orleans, January 1, 1879. ja1 1w

NEW ORLEANS, JANUARY 1, 1879—THE COpartnership heretofore existing between JOHN L. GUBERNATOR and JOHN O. TERRY, under the name and style of GUBERNATOR & TERRY, in the Timber and Hauling business, was dissolved by mutual consent on the twenty-eighth of December last. Either of the undersigned is authorized to use the name of the late firm in liquidation only.
JOHN L. GUBERNATOR,
JOHN O. TERRY.

NEW ORLEANS, JANUARY 1, 1879—HAVing sold my interest in the late firm of GUBERNATOR & TERRY in the Timber and Hauling business to JOHN O. TERRY, my former partner, I would respectfully recommend him to my friends and former patrons.
JOHN L. GUBERNATOR.

NEW ORLEANS, JANUARY 1, 1879—HAVing purchased the interest of JOHN L. GUBERNATOR in the late firm of GUBERNATOR & TERRY, I will continue the Timber and Hauling business in connection with my sons, O. F. TERRY and W. S. TERRY, under the name and style of JOHN O. TERRY & SONS.
ja1 5t JOHN O. TERRY.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE, THE FIRM name of D. Moffat & Co. has changed to that of MOFFAT & JAEGER.
D. MOFFAT.
ja1 1w JNO. R. JAEGER.

WILLIAM ANDREW GORDON HAS AN INterest in my business, dating from to-day.
New Orleans, January 1, 1879.
ja1 5t T. T. WHITE.

REMOVALS.

NOTICE—THE PLANTERS' OIL COMpany have moved their office to No. 9 Delta street. ja1 5t

NEW INVENTIONS.

Hunter's Perfection Rotary Flour and Meal Sifter

Eleven combinations in one. Over 275,000 now in use. Every family should have one. Agents for Louisiana and Georgia wanted.
Send $1 for samples and postage.
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The Robert E. Lee Cooking Stoves, made of best charcoal iron; light on fuel; good even baker. Guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money returned.

To each purchaser a patent sifter will be given.

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AMUSEMENTS.

ST. CHARLES THEATRE.
Robert Strong.....Lessee and Manager.
J. Kittredge..Bus. Man. | P. Gleason.....Treas.
Sunday Evening, January 5, 1879,
Reappearance of the eminent actor
GEO. C. BONIFACE,
Supported by the C. L. Graves-Boniface Combination, in his great character of
TERRY, THE SWELL,
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TWENTY-FOURTH ANNUAL STATEMENT.

In conformity with the requirements of their charter, the Company publish the following statement:

Premiums received during the year ending May 31, 1878, including unearned premiums of the previous year—		
On Fire Risks		$334,859 72
On Marine Risks		20,648 19
On River Risks		24,053 93
Total Premiums		$379,562 45
Less Unearned Premiums		117,843 69
Net Earned Premiums May 31, 1878		$261,512 45
Losses paid—		
On Fire Risks	$65,437 89	
On Marine Risks	13,465 68	
On River Risks	10,264 92	
Taxes and expenses, less interest	36,317 52	
Reinsurances and Returned Premiums	18,313 67—	$132,799 68
Profit		$128,712 74

The Company have the following assets:

Real Estate	$290,054 99
City Bonds and Mortgage Bonds	65,100 52
Bank, Waterworks and other Stocks	196,376 80
Notes secured by mortgage	186,501 65
Notes secured by pledge	69,870 62
Bills receivable	81,811 67
Premium in course of collection	42,467 12
Agricultural Fair Association	2,000 00
City Scrip	5,879 20
Cash on hand	81,561 35
Total	$1,027,623 50

The above statement is a just, true and correct transcript from the books of the Company.
PAUL FOURCHY, President.
G. W. NOTT, Secretary.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Parish of Orleans, City of New Orleans.

Sworn to and subscribed before me the tenth day of June, 1878. JAMES FAHEY,
Notary Public.

At a meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the tenth day of June, 1878, it was resolved to declare a cash dividend of twenty per cent on the net earned participating premiums for the year ending May 31, 1878, payable on the third Monday of July next.

Also, to pay to the Stockholders, on demand, interest at the rate of five per cent per annum on their stock.

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TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL STATEMENT.

NEW ORLEANS, January 1, 1879.

In conformity with the requirements of the charter, the company publishes the following statement, for the year ending December 31, 1877:

AMOUNT OF PREMIUMS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1877.

On fire risks	$253,685 74	
On river risks	91,210 38	
On marine risks	80,473 55	
		$426,369 67
Add—		
Unterminated risks, 1876	94,275 00	
Gross premiums		$519,644
Less—		
Unterminated risks, 1877	104,741 00	
Return premiums	16,445 78	
		121,186 78
Net earned premiums		$398,457 85
Losses, etc., paid during same period:		
On fire risks	$92,406 56	
On river risks	19,185 02	
On marine risks	20,643 91	
	$132,235 49	
Unadjusted losses	36,000 00	
		$168,235 49
Add—		
Re-insurance	44,797 29	
General expenses, taxes, rent, Board Underwriters and Babcock engines	50,279 11	
		95,076 40
Reserve fund		10,000 00
Interest on capital stock	$49,562 41	
Less—		
Discount and interest	29,076 69	
		20,486 72
		$330,798 85
Net profit		$104,889 27

The Company has the following assets estimated at their market values:

Stocks and bonds	$306,339 30
Loans on mortgage	9,122 52
Loans on pledge	26,040
Bills receivable	11,456 35
Real estate	25,000 00
Premiums in course of collection	52,636 49
Cash on hand	159,439 79
Total assets	$650,033 35

The foregoing statement is a just, true and correct transcript from the books of the company.
JAS. I. DAY, President.
H. CARPENTER, Secretary.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this eighteenth day of January, 1878.
A. INGRAHAM, Notary Public.

The Board of Directors, at a meeting held on the nineteenth day of January, 1878, after setting aside $10,000 to reserve fund from the net earnings of the year, and paying 10 per cent dividend to the stockholders, have resolved to pay a CASH DIVIDEND OF TWENTY-FIVE PER CENT on the net earned participating premiums of the year ending December 31 1877, said dividend payable on and after Monday, the twenty-eighth day of January, 1878.

DIRECTORS:

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